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Applicant: Baese et al.
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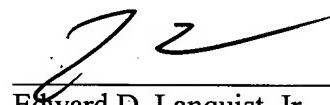
The Honorable Commissioner of
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 Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant filed this divisional application on July 22, 2003. In order to make sure that everything is in order with the application and for planning purposes, Applicant respectfully requests a report on the status of the above-captioned matter.

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Respectfully submitted,


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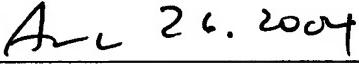
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